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species reads, in the event no generic claim is finally held allowable. Applicants have elected, with traverse, one species of the invention for each such category. The Examiner has deemed claims 1-32 to be generic. Therefore, claims 1-32 are still pending and under examination.

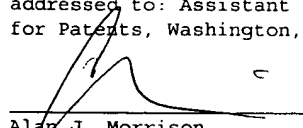
If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, applicants' undersigned attorneys invite the Examiner to telephone them at the number provided below.

No fee, other than the enclosed \$980.00 for a five-month extension of time, is deemed necessary. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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